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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed July 29, 2003, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.111, please enter the amendments and consider the remarks below intended to put the claims into condition for allowance. Applicants submit concurrently herewith an Amendment Fee Transmittal Form (in duplicate) and a Petition for Extension of Time for one month under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(in duplicate).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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